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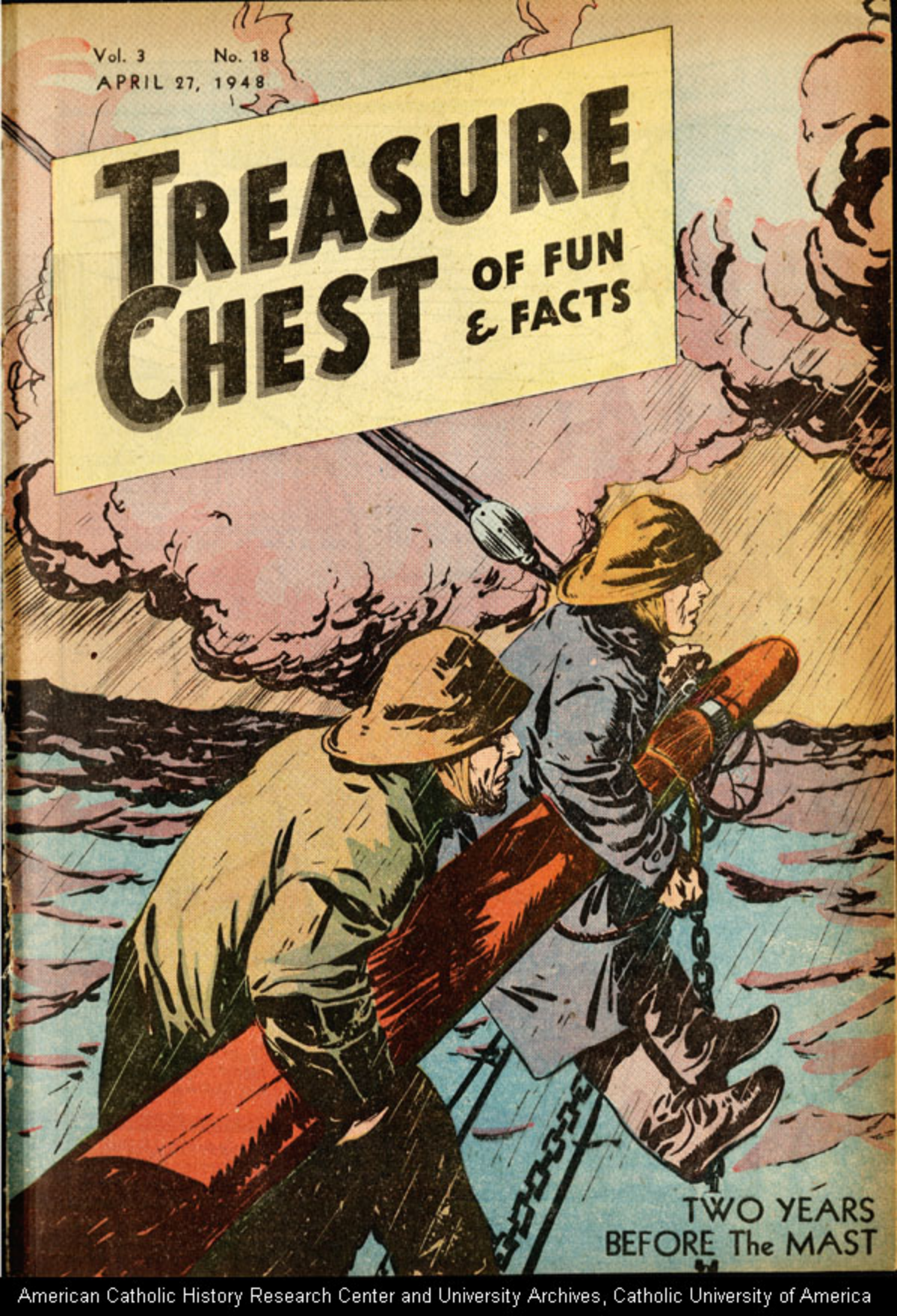

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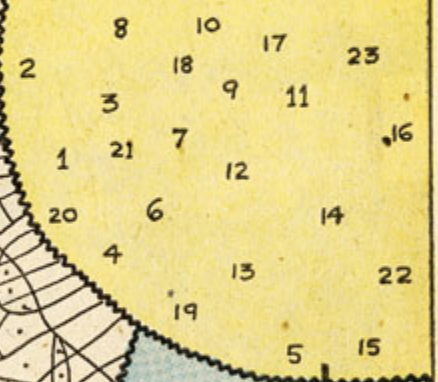
TREASURE CHEST

WHICH PATH LEADS TO THE CABIN ?

WHICH PATH, A-B-C-OR D, SHOULD THE HUNTER TAKE TO GET TO THE CABIN ?

CONNECT 'EM !

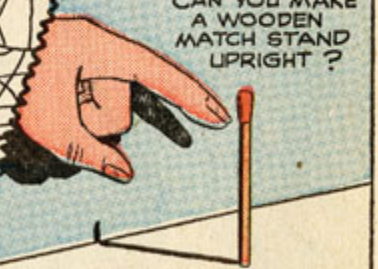
FOR TWO OR MORE PLAYERS THE FIRST PLAYER DRAWS A LINE FROM 1 TO 2. SECOND PLAYER FROM 2 TO 3 AND SO ON. THE PLAYER WHO CAN'T CONNECT TWO NUMBERS WITHOUT CROSSING A LINE IS THE LOSER.....



THE HIDDEN FACE

TO BRING OUT THE PICTURE TAKE A PENCIL AND SHADE IN THE SQUARES THAT HAVE A DOT IN THEM.

CAN YOU MAKE A WOODEN MATCH STAND UPRIGHT ?



SOLUTION - TURN PAGE UPSIDE DOWN

SECRETLY MOISTEN THE END OF THE MATCH WITH A WET FINGER.

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CHUCK WHITE
UNABLE TO HIT ONE-HANDED, CHUCK REALIZES HE IS THROUGH AS A PLAYER FOR ST. JOHN'S.
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT.
I DON'T BELIEVE IT.
DON'T GIVE UP, CHUCK. IT'S NOT LIKE YOU.
THE PITCHER WAS MAKING IT EASY, BUT I STILL COULDN'T HIT. I'M THROUGH, JOE.
SCULL CAN HIT AND RUN AS WELL AS I COULD.
HE'LL NEVER BE THE TEAMMATE YOU ARE.
WHAT'S THE MATTER, WHITE? HOLE IN YOUR BAT?
SOME SPORT -- RUBBING IN AN INJURY.
NICE PLAYING, SCULL.
CHUCK NEEDS A REST. I DON'T WANT HIM TO HURT HIMSELF BEFORE THE GAME WITH TREMPLER. TAKE HIS PLACE, DOWLING.

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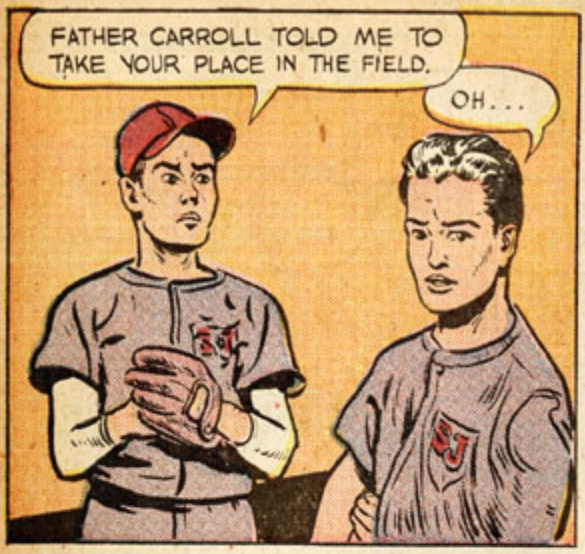

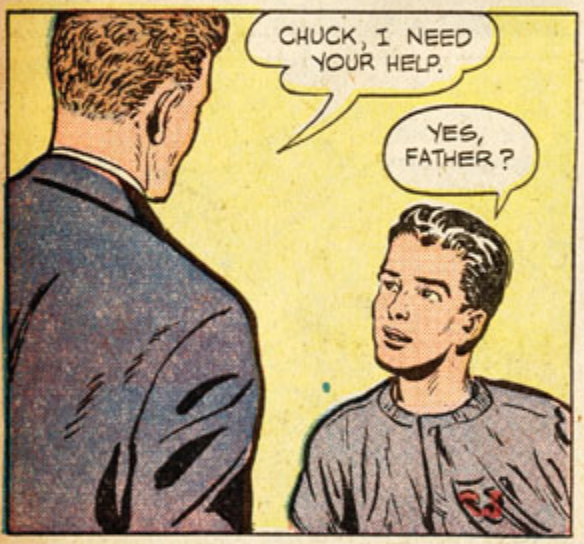

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AND BRING YOUR TOE IN THIS WAY, TO HOOK THE BAG.
BUT HIS HEART ISN'T IN COACHING.
LATER AT HOME
THIS STORY OF THE FIRE IS ALL ABOUT A BOY NAMED SCULL WHY DON'T THEY TELL WHAT YOU DID ?
IT WASN'T ANYTHING, FATHER.
STEELTOWN TIMES
WASN'T ANYTHING! I HEARD ABOUT IT FROM THE FIREMAN. YOU WERE THE REAL HERO.
IT DOESN'T MATTER, FATHER
WHAT'S TROUBLING YOU, CHUCK? YOU SEEM UNHAPPY
I'D COUNTED SO ON PLAYING BASEBALL. I'M OFF THE TEAM, FATHER. FATHER CARROLL HAS ME COACHING.
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WHAT DOES IT MATTER HOW YOU HELP THE TEAM TO WIN?
IS SOMETHING WRONG?
I FELT ALL RIGHT UNTIL I STRUCK OUT. I FELT SO HELPLESS THEN... ALL MY CONFIDENCE LEFT ME. THEN FATHER CARROLL PUT ME ON THE BENCH.
I'M GOING OUT TO WALK -- AND THINK.
YOU KNOW WHERE TO GO, SON.
YOU'RE RIGHT, MR. WHITE. JUST BECAUSE IT IS BASEBALL THAT IS INVOLVED, CHUCK'S DOUBTS SHOULDN'T BE CONSIDERED TRIVIAL. IF HE WINS THE BATTLE OF SELF-CONFIDENCE -- WELL, YOU KNOW WHAT I TOLD YOU.
IF I KNOW CHUCK, HE'LL WIN.
SPITAL QUIET
I'M AFRAID TO TRY AGAIN --- THEY'D LAUGH-- I CAN'T GIVE UP ---
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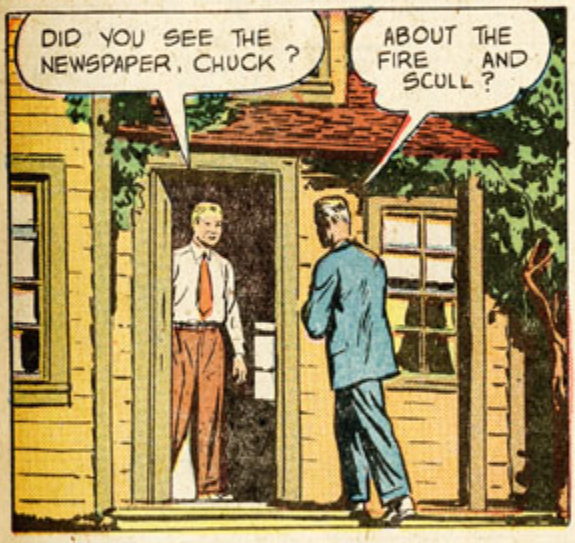

IT SAYS: "FATHER CARROLL TOLD THE PRESS TODAY THAT CHUCK WHITE, STAR CENTER FIELDER AT ST. JOHN'S, WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO PLAY THIS SEASON AS A RESULT OF INJURIES ---

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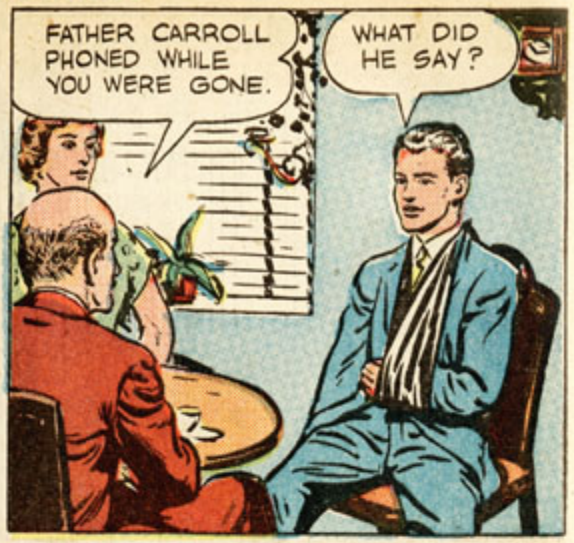

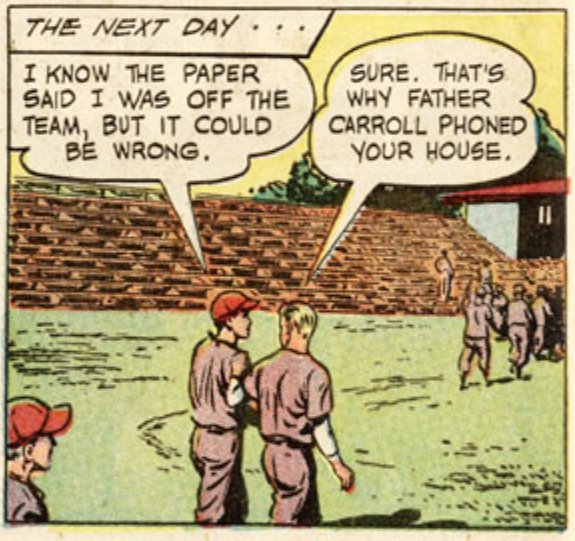

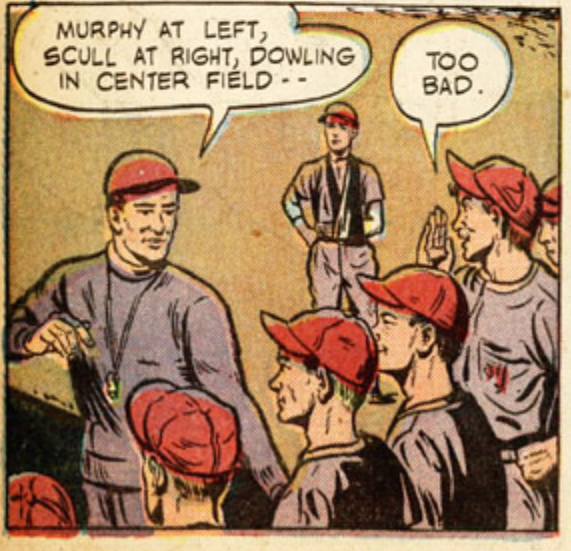

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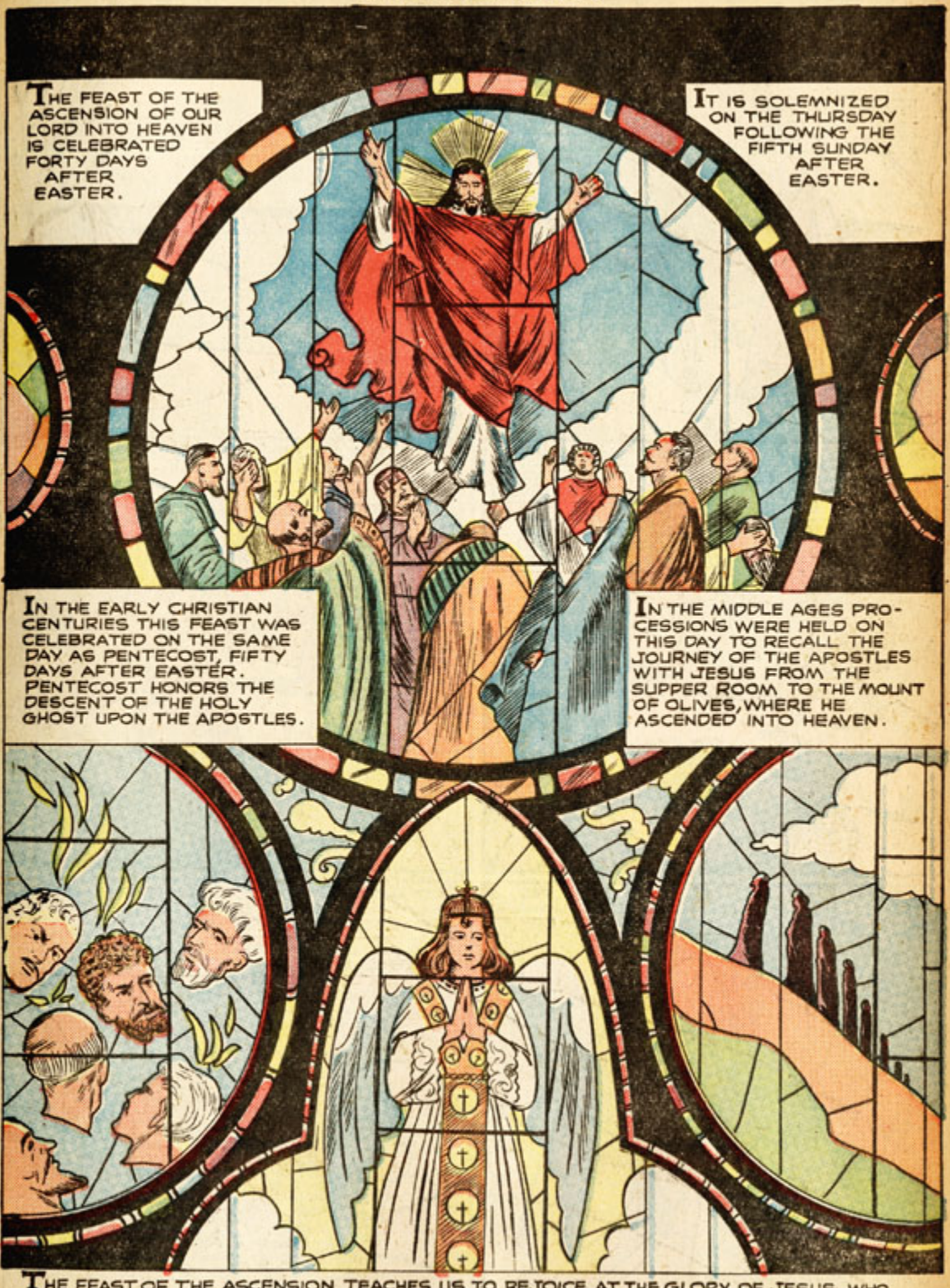
THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD INTO HEAVEN IS CELEBRATED FORTY DAYS AFTER EASTER.
IT IS SOLEMNIZED ON THE THURSDAY FOLLOWING THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.
IN THE EARLY CHRISTIAN CENTURIES THIS FEAST WAS CELEBRATED ON THE SAME DAY AS PENTECOST, FIFTY DAYS AFTER EASTER. PENTECOST HONORS THE DESCENT OF THE HOLY GHOST UPON THE APOSTLES.
IN THE MIDDLE AGES PROCESSIONS WERE HELD ON THIS DAY TO RECALL THE JOURNEY OF THE APOSTLES WITH JESUS FROM THE SUPPER ROOM TO THE MOUNT OF OLIVES, WHERE HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN.

THE FEAST OF THE ASCENSION TEACHES US TO REJOICE AT THE GLORY OF JESUS, WHO SUFFERED FOR OUR SINS, AND TO THANK HIM FOR PREPARING A PLACE IN HEAVEN FOR US.

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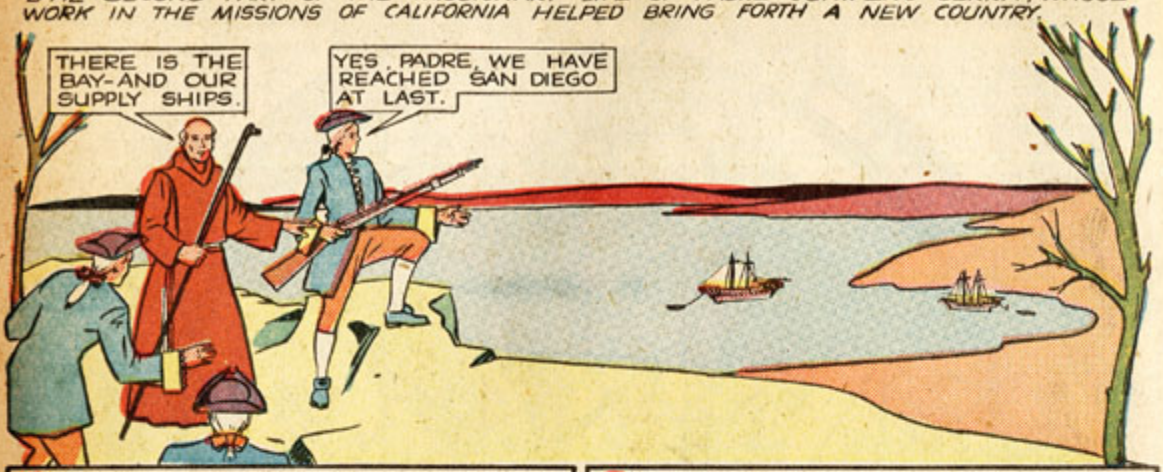
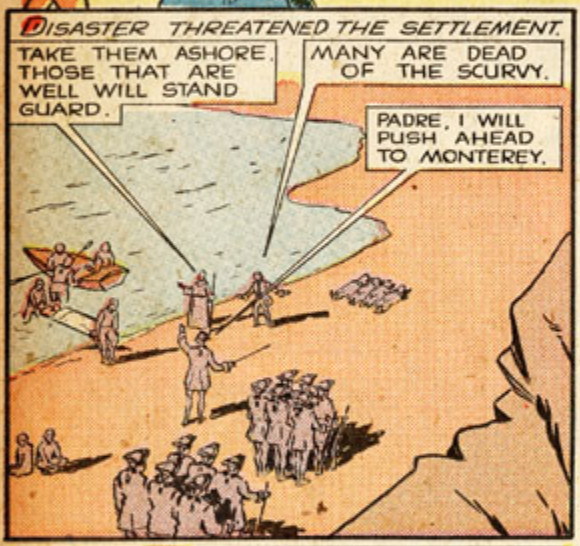
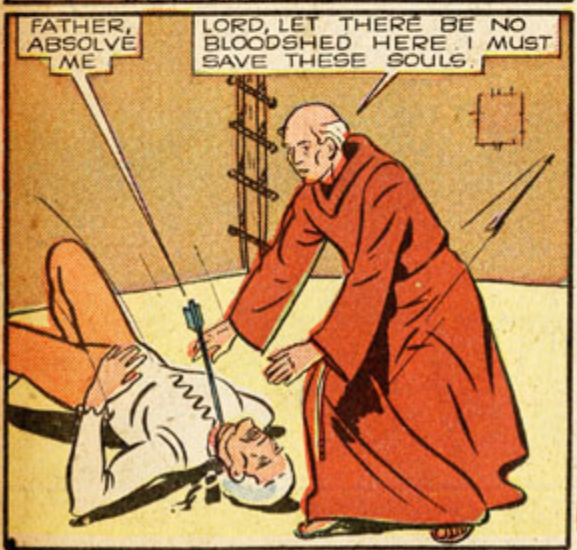
PADRE OF THE MISSIONS

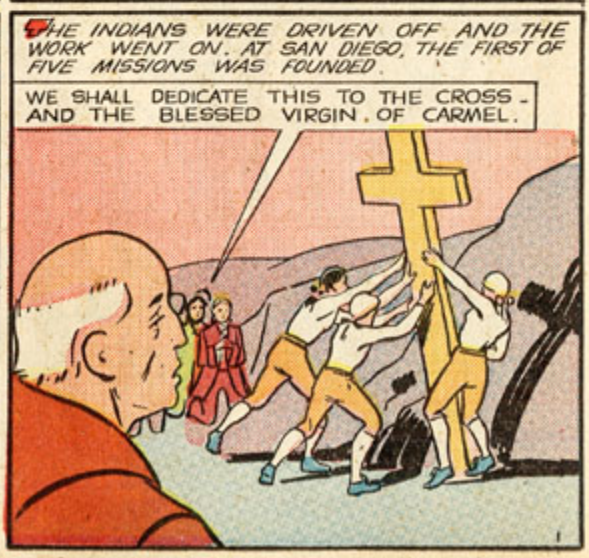
THE SECOND PART OF THE MISSIONARY LIFE OF PADRE JUNIPERO SERRA, WHOSE WORK IN THE MISSIONS OF CALIFORNIA HELPED BRING FORTH A NEW COUNTRY.




DISASTER THREATENED THE SETTLEMENT.
TAKE THEM ASHORE. THOSE THAT ARE WELL WILL STAND GUARD.
MANY ARE DEAD OF THE SCURVY.
PADRE, I WILL PUSH AHEAD TO MONTEREY.

THE INDIANS, SEEING THE WEAKNESS OF THE SPANIARDS, ATTACKED.
THE INDIANS SWARM EVERYWHERE. PADRE, WE MUST LEAVE NOW.
I HAVE COME TO SAVE THESE INDIANS. I WILL NEVER LEAVE.




THE INDIANS WERE DRIVEN OFF AND THE WORK WENT ON. AT SAN DIEGO, THE FIRST OF FIVE MISSIONS WAS FOUNDED.
WE SHALL DEDICATE THIS TO THE CROSS - AND THE BLESSED VIRGIN, OF CARMEL.

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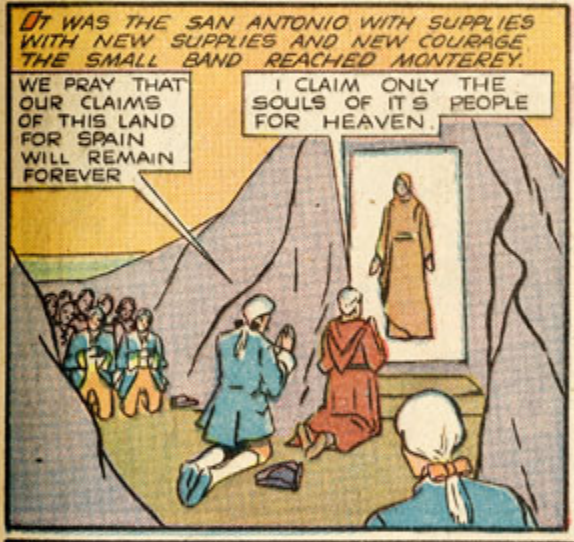
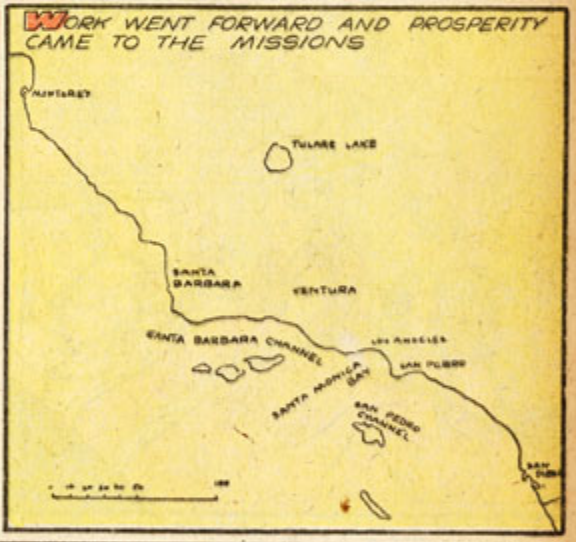
PADRE, ALL IS LOST. MONTEREY CANNOT BE REACHED WITHOUT MORE SUPPLIES.
THE SUPPLY SHIP HAS NOT RETURNED. I SHALL START A NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH FOR OUR SAFETY.

THE MEN WANTED TO RETURN AND LEAVE CALIFORNIA
WE MUST GO BACK OR WE STARVE.
A SAIL. A SAIL.
PERHAPS. BUT PADRE MUST FINISH THE NOVENA FIRST.


IT WAS THE SAN ANTONIO WITH SUPPLIES WITH NEW SUPPLIES AND NEW COURAGE THE SMALL BAND REACHED MONTEREY.
WE PRAY THAT OUR CLAIMS OF THIS LAND FOR SPAIN WILL REMAIN FOREVER
I CLAIM ONLY THE SOULS OF ITS PEOPLE FOR HEAVEN.



SOON THE MISSIONS BECAME CENTERS OF INDUSTRY, BRINGING IMPROVEMENT TO THE POOR INDIANS
GOD HAS GIVEN YOU THIS NEW COUNTRY THROUGH YOUR OWN EFFORTS.
AND SOMEDAY HE WILL HAVE A NEW HOME FOR US.
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FOR FIFTEEN YEARS, PADRE SERRA TOILED, TEACHING THE INDIANS TO BETTER THEIR CONDITION AND KNOW THEIR TRUE FATHER IN HEAVEN.

PADRE, YOU HAVE TAUGHT THEM MUCH DURING THESE YEARS.

IT HAS BEEN A LONG TIME BUT THEIR FAITH WILL BE STRONG.

WHEN NEW MISSIONS WERE TO BE ESTABLISHED IN ALASKA.

ALAS THAT I TOO COULD NOT BE WITH YOU.

YOUR ILLNESSES HAVE LEFT YOU TOO WEAK, PADRE. BUT YOUR BLESSING WILL SAFEGUARD OUR EFFORTS THERE.

WEAKENED BY HIS MANY JOURNEYS PADRE WAS FORCED TO REMAIN IN BED

PADRE, THE GENTLEMEN FROM SPAIN ARE HERE.

I THANK YOU FOR YOUR COURTESY RING THE BELLS IN THEIR HONOR BROTHER, AND PRAY FOR ME

WITH A PRAYER TO THE HOLY VIRGIN AND HIS CROSS CLASPED IN HIS ARMS PADRE SERRA DIED IN 1784.

NOW LET US GO TO REST.

THE FRIEND OF THE INDIAN, THE HOLY FATHER IS DEAD.

TRIBUTES TO PADRE SERRA HAVE GROWN IN THE YEARS STREETS, BUILDINGS, STATUES BEAR HIS NAME THROUGHOUT CALIFORNIA

IN THE NATIONAL HALL OF STATUARY IN WASHINGTON, DC

PADRE SERRA HERE REPRESENTS THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

TODAY, CALIFORNIA SEEKS TO ENSHRINE PADRE JUNIPERO SERRA AS HER SAINT PROOFS ARE BEING DRAWN DAILY FROM THE DEVOTION NOW SPREAD ACROSS THE SEAS THAT THE POOR MAN OF MAJORCA DESERVES THE CROWN OF SAINTHOOD IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

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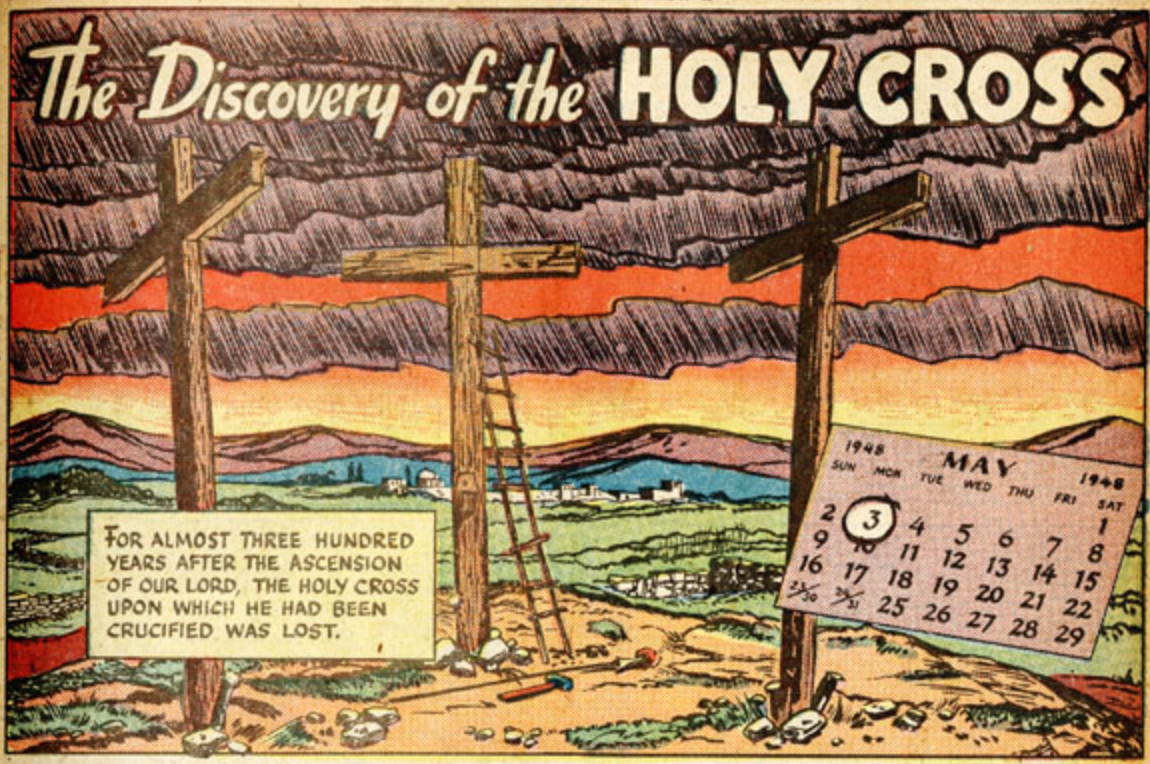
The Discovery of the HOLY CROSS


FOR ALMOST THREE HUNDRED YEARS AFTER THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD, THE HOLY CROSS UPON WHICH HE HAD BEEN CRUCIFIED WAS LOST.
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SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT
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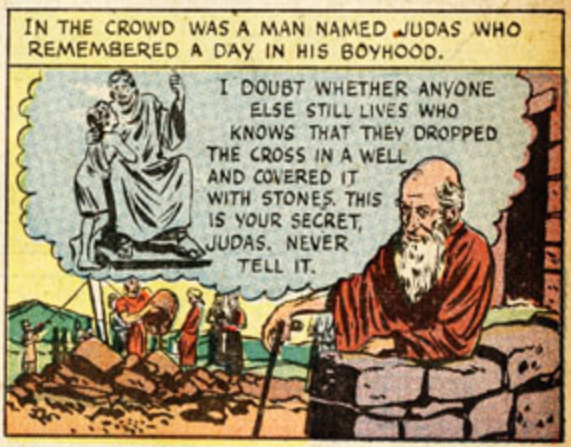
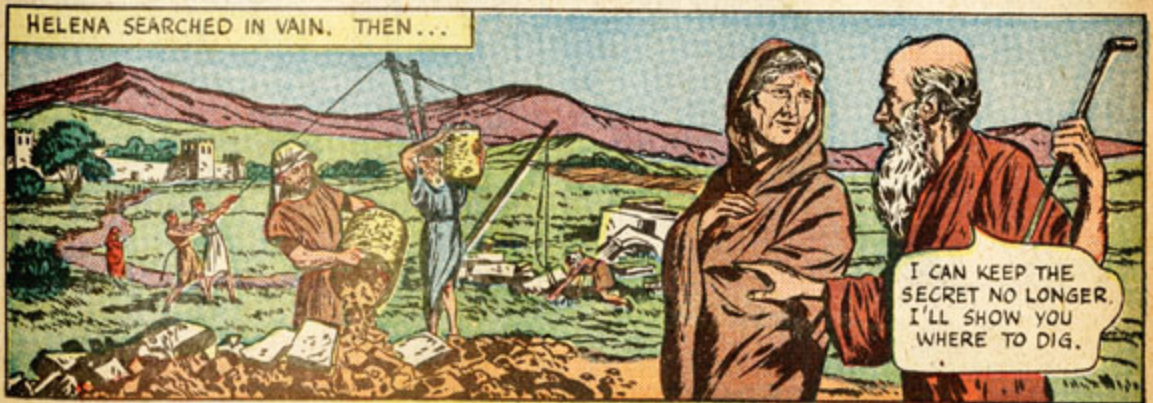
ST. HELENA, MOTHER OF THE EMPEROR CONSTANTINE, DETERMINED TO FIND THE CROSS. SHE WENT TO JERUSALEM.
WHERE CAN I FIND THE CROSS OF MY SAVIOUR?
NO ONE KNOWS.
IT WAS HIDDEN YEARS AGO.


IN THE CROWD WAS A MAN NAMED JUDAS WHO REMEMBERED A DAY IN HIS BOYHOOD.
I DOUBT WHETHER ANYONE ELSE STILL LIVES WHO KNOWS THAT THEY DROPPED THE CROSS IN A WELL AND COVERED IT WITH STONES. THIS IS YOUR SECRET, JUDAS. NEVER TELL IT.



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AT THE HOME OF BISHOP MACARIUS...
A WOMAN OF THIS CITY LIES ILL. TAKE THE THREE CROSSES TO HER AND GOD WILL REVEAL THE TRUE CROSS FOR US.
IT SHALL BE DONE RIGHT AWAY.

TRADITION TELLS US ALSO THAT A DEAD MAN WAS BROUGHT TO LIFE WHEN TOUCHED WITH THE CROSS. BY THESE TWO MIRACLES THE IDENTITY OF THE TRUE CROSS WAS ESTABLISHED.

JUDAS WAS CONVERTED AND TODAY IS HONORED AS ST. CYRIACUS.

PORTIONS OF THE CROSS UPON WHICH OUR LORD DIED HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THE LARGEST PARTS ARE KEPT IN JERUSALEM AND IN THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS IN ROME.

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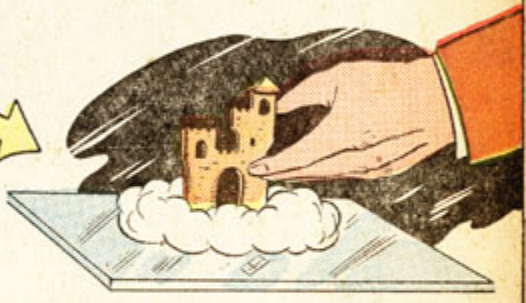
HOW TO PHOTOGRAPH CASTLES IN THE AIR

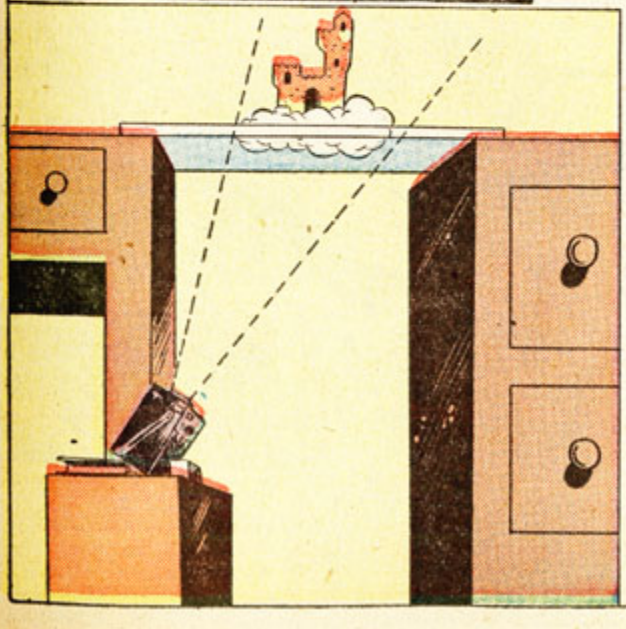
HERE'S HOW TO PHOTOGRAPH A CASTLE FLOATING ON A FLUFFY CLOUD. HAVE FUN WITH YOUR FRIENDS--- MYSTIFY THEM!

1 YOU WILL NEED A SMALL CASTLE -- THE KIND THAT IS USED IN FISH BOWLS. FOR THE CLOUDS YOU WILL NEED SOME COTTON--ALSO, A SHEET OF WINDOW GLASS....

2 THE CLOUDS ARE FORMED BY SPREADING A LAYER OF COTTON UNDER THE CASTLE WHICH HAS BEEN PLACED ON TOP OF THE GLASS.



3 PLACE THE GLASS SHEET ON TOP OF TWO SHELVES OR TWO HIGHBACK CHAIRS. NEXT PLACE YOUR CAMERA IN POSITION AS SHOWN IN ILLUSTRATION BELOW-- THEN SHOOT YOUR PICTURE.



A CASTLE FLOATING ON A FLUFFY CLOUD WILL BE THE RESULT.

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The Flowers That Bloom In the Spring

SPRING IS THE TIME FOR THE FIRST WILDFLOWERS. WARM SUNS MELT THE SNOW AND THE FIRST WELCOME BLOSSOMS COME FORTH BRAVELY.

THIS IS A TREASURE CHEST PIN UP PAGE CUT OUT AND PASTE TO CARDBOARD FOR DISPLAY.

JACK-IN-THE-PULPIT: AN EARLY COMER TO THE WOODLANDS. CAN'T YOU SEE THE SMALL PREACHER IN HIS STRIPED PULPIT?

WILD GERANIUM IS SOMETIMES CALLED MAY PINKS EVEN CROWFOOT BECAUSE OF THE SHAPE OF ITS LEAVES.

AZALEA: THIS BUSHY PLANT OPENS BOTH ITS FLOWER AND ITS SHINY LEAVES AT THE SAME TIME

NOTE AZALEA UNDER MAGNIFYING GLASS

VIOLETS: SOME PURPLE, SOME WHITE. THEY BLOOM IN APRIL AND MAY

CINNAMON FERNS PUSH THEIR WAY UPWARD LOOKING LIKE "FIDDLE-HEADS." IN MAINE THESE ARE SOMETIMES COOKED AND EATEN.

LADY-SLIPPER: THIS FAIRY-TALE FLOWER BELONGS TO THE ORCHID FAMILY. TO SAFEGUARD ITS LIFE, NEVER PICK ONE WHERE FEWER THAN FIVE GROW

THROUGH THE YEARS PEOPLE HAVE ATTACHED SENTIMENTS TO DIFFERENT FLOWERS. HERE ARE SOME:

GERANIUM:	PIETY
VIOLET:	TRUE LOVE
BUTTERCUP:	RICHES
LADY-SLIPPER:	CAPRICE AND BEAUTY
TRILLIUM:	MODEST AMBITION
FERNS:	MAGIC AND MYSTERY

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MANY STATES HAVE ADOPTED A STATE FLOWER, AS LAUREL IN CONNECTICUT; GOLDEN POPPY IN CALIFORNIA; CARNATION IN OHIO; BLUEBONNET IN TEXAS. CAN YOU NAME AND IDENTIFY YOUR STATE FLOWER?

SKUNK CABBAGE: THE FIRST OF THE SPRING FLOWERS IT GROWS IN THE MARSHES.

BUTTERCUP: WITH THEIR GOLD COLOR, THEY MAKE THE FIELDS SHINE. HOLD ONE UNDER YOUR CHIN. IF THE COLOR IS REFLECTED THERE, PEOPLE USED TO SAY, IT MEANS YOU LIKE TO EAT BUTTER.

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THE MONTH OF MAY

May is the month dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The whole Catholic world pays its devotion to her in special prayers and in the recitation of the Holy Rosary.

There are many special feast days throughout the year that commemorate the glories of the Blessed Virgin, but this entire month honors Mary not only as the Queen of Heaven but also as the ever-loving Mother of us all.

A Calendar of Feasts of the Blessed Virgin

The Immaculate Conception	December 8
Shrine of the Holy House of the Blessed Virgin Mary	December 10
Our Lady of Guadalupe	December 12
The Expectation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	December 18
Our Lady of Prompt Succor	January 15
The Espousal of the Blessed Virgin	January 23
The Purification of the Blessed Virgin	February 2
Our Lady of Lourdes	February 11
The Annunciation	March 25
Feast of the Seven Sorrows of Mary	Friday in Passion Week
Our Lady of Good Counsel	April 26
Our Lady, Queen of Apostles	Saturday After Ascension
Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament	May 13
Mary, Help of Christians	May 24
Mary, Mediatrix of All Graces	May 31
Mary, Queen of All Saints	May 31
Mary, the Virgin Mother of Grace	June 9
Our Lady of Perpetual Help	June 27
The Visitation	July 2
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	July 16
Feast of the Humility of Mary	July 17
Mary, Mother of Mercy	Saturday Before Second Sunday in July
Our Lady of the Snows	August 5
Our Lady, Refuge of Sinners	August 13
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin	August 15
The Immaculate Heart of Mary	August 22
Our Lady, Health of the Sick	Last Sunday of August
Our Lady, Mother of the Good Shepherd	September 3
Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	September 8
The Most Holy Name of Mary	September 12
The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary	September 15
Our Lady of Ransom and Mercy	September 24
Feast of the Most Holy Rosary	October 7
Maternity of the Blessed Virgin	October 11
Purity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	October 16
Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	November 21
Mary, Mother of Divine Providence	Saturday Before Third Sunday
Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal	November 27

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PRAYERS TO MARY

Ejaculations to the Most Blessed Virgin Mary

O Mary, Mother of God and Mother of mercy, pray for us and for all those who have died in the embrace of the Lord.

(*Indulgence of* 300 *days*)

My Mother, deliver me from mortal sin. (*Hail* Mary, etc., *three times.*)

(*Indulgence*, 300 *days.*)

O Mary, Virgin Mother of God, pray to Jesus for me. (*Indulgence*, 300 *days.*)

O Mary, make me to live in God, with God. and for God. (*Indulgence*, 300 *days.*)

Bless us, Mary, Maiden mild; bless us, too, her tender Child. (*Indulgence*, 300 *days.*)

Blessed art thou, O Virgin Mary, by the Lord God most high, above all women upon the earth.

(*Indulgence*, 300 *days.*)

The Blessed Mother's Different Titles

The Blessed Mother is implored and reverenced under many different titles. Here are some of them:

Our Lady of Divine Providence.
Our Lady of the Cenacle.
Our Lady, Mother of Orphans.
Our Lady, Queen of Apostles.
Our Lady, Mother of Grace.
Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception.
Our Lady of Pity.
Our Lady, Help of Christians.
Our Lady of Good Hope.
Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament.
Our Lady of Ransom.
Our Lady of Deliverance.
Our Lady of Good Counsel.
Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Litany of the Blessed Virgin

The Litany of the Blessed Virgin mentions the Virgin Mary under eleven queenly titles. They are:

Queen of Angels, Queen of Patriarchs, Queen of Prophets, Queen of Apostles, Queen of Martyrs, Queen of Confessors, Queen of Virgins, Queen of All Saints, Queen conceived without original sin, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, and Queen of Peace.

Saints' Prayers to the Blessed Virgin

Many of the Saints often wrote prayers to the Blessed Virgin.

St. Aloysius Gonzaga prayed: O holy Mary, my Mistress, into thy blessed trust and special keeping, into the bosom of thy tender mercy, this day, every day of my life, and at the hour of my death, I commend my soul and body; to thee I entrust all my hopes and consolations, all my trials and miseries, my life and the end of my life, that through thy most holy intercession and thy merits, all my actions may be ordered and disposed according to thy will and that of thy Divine Son. Amen.

(*Indulgence of three years.*)

St. Bernard prayed: Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother! to thee do I come, before thee I stand sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate! despise not my petitions, but, in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen. (*Indulgence of three years.*)

St. Joseph Benedict prayed: O Virgin Mary, Mother of Jesus, make us saints

(*Indulgence of* 300 *days.*)

St. John Bosco prayed: O Mary, powerful Virgin, thou art the mighty and glorious protector of Holy Church; thou art the marvelous help of Christians; thou art terrible as an army in battle array; thou alone has destroyed every heresy in the whole world. In the midst of our anguish, our struggles and our distress defend us from the power of the enemy and at the hour of our death receive our souls in paradise. Amen.

(*Indulgence of three years.*)

Prayer to Mary for a Special Favor

O my dearest Mother Mary, behold me, thy child, at thy feet. I have come to plead for this favor. I beg thee to present my petition to thy Divine Son. If thou wilt plead for me, I shall not be refused. I know, dearest Mother, that thou wouldst have me seek God's will in all things. Therefore, with childlike trust I abandon myself to God's holy will concerning my request. If what I ask for should not be granted, pray that I may receive that which will be of greater benefit to my soul.

O Mary, Help of Christians, hear my prayer! Look upon my love for thee and the confidence I have in thee. Do not refuse me, sweet Mother of Perpetual Help, but for the sake of Jesus, thy loving Son, hear and grant my prayer. Amen.

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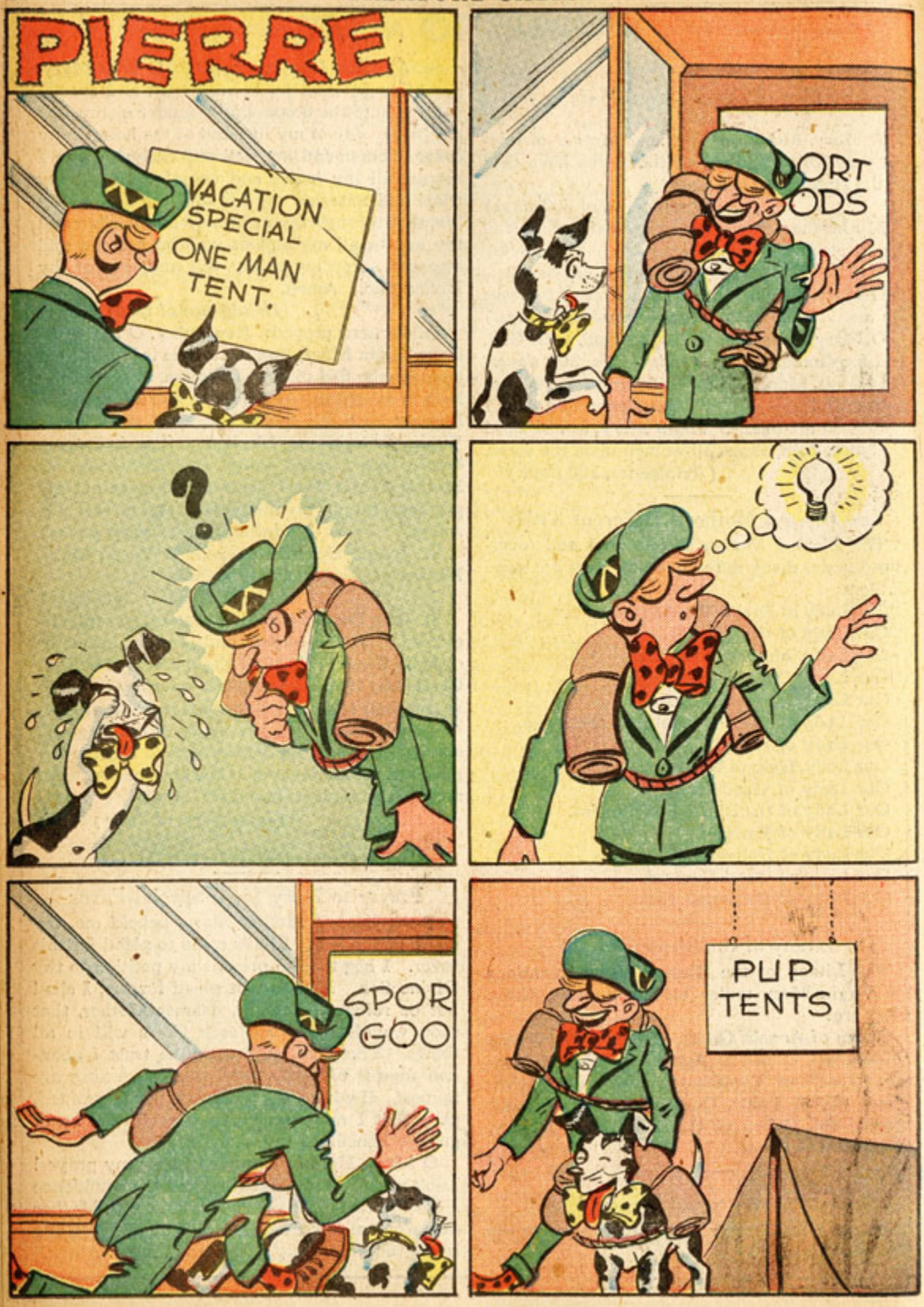

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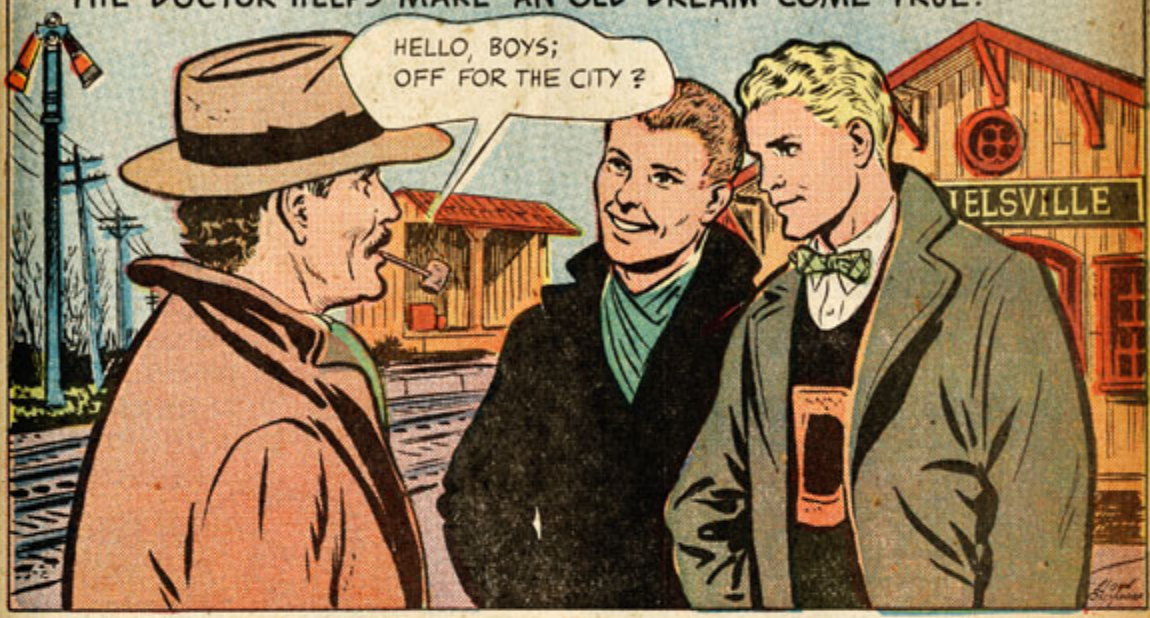
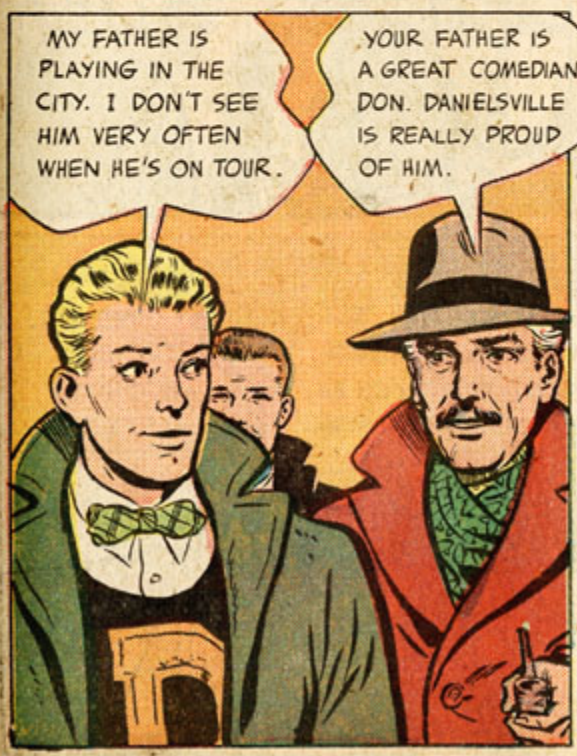
DR. DANIELS

THE DOCTOR HELPS MAKE AN OLD DREAM COME TRUE.




MY FATHER IS PLAYING IN THE CITY. I DON'T SEE HIM VERY OFTEN WHEN HE'S ON TOUR.
YOUR FATHER IS A GREAT COMEDIAN, DON. DANIELSVILLE IS REALLY PROUD OF HIM.

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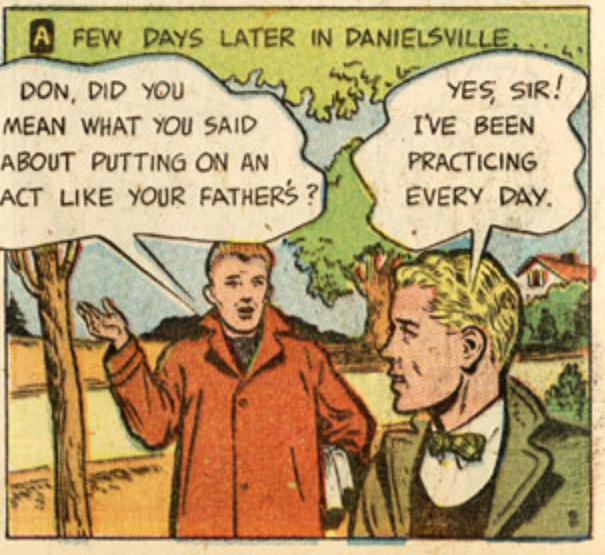
A FEW DAYS LATER IN DANIELSVILLE...
DON, DID YOU MEAN WHAT YOU SAID ABOUT PUTTING ON AN ACT LIKE YOUR FATHER'S?
YES, SIR! I'VE BEEN PRACTICING EVERY DAY.

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THEN WE'LL PUT YOU IN OUR CLASS MINSTREL SHOW AND BILL YOU AS EDDIE WILFRED'S SON. HOW'S THAT ?
FINE ! I'LL INVITE DAD TO THE SHOW. WILL HE BE SURPRISED WHEN HE SEES ME !
THE NIGHT OF THE SHOW...
YOU SHOULD SEE THE CROWD OUT FRONT, DON. YOU ARE REALLY PACKING THEM IN.
DAD IS OUT THERE. I HAVEN'T TOLD HIM ABOUT MY ACT.
I WILL NOW SING THE MINSTREL SONG THAT EDDIE WILFRED MADE FAMOUS.
I GUESS I PANICKED THEM ALL RIGHT. EVEN DAD IS STUNNED.
CLAP ! CLAP !
HOW DO YOU LIKE THE SHOW, DOCTOR ?
OH, I KNOW I'M NOT AS GOOD AS DAD YET BUT I CAN BE. I HAVE TO BE. DAD IS ILL AND I HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF HIM.
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LISTEN, DON, EDDIE WILFRED WOULD HAVE BEEN A REALLY GREAT SINGER IF HE HAD HAD THE CHANCE. BUT YOUR MOTHER WAS ILL A LONG TIME BEFORE SHE DIED. THEN THERE WAS YOUR EDUCATION, AND YOUR EXPENSIVE VOICE LESSONS. HE HAD TO SACRIFICE HIS GREAT AMBITION.
BUT YOUR VOICE IS AS GOOD AS HIS EVER WAS, PERHAPS BETTER. HE HAS DREAMED OF THE DAY THAT YOU WOULD DO WHAT HE FAILED TO DO. HE HAS SEEN YOU ON THE CONCERT STAGE SINGING GLORIOUSLY, ANOTHER JOHN McCORMACK.
IT'S TRUE, HE HAS ALWAYS LOVED GOOD SINGING. HE BOUGHT EVERY JOHN McCORMACK RECORD. BUT HE'S SICK AND IT WILL TAKE YEARS TO COMPLETE MY SINGING LESSONS. I WANT TO BECOME A SUCCESS IN A HURRY SO THAT I CAN SUPPORT HIM.
I AM YOUR FATHER'S PHYSICIAN. HE IS TIRED BUT NOT ILL. I KNOW WHAT WOULD BE THE BEST POSSIBLE MEDICINE FOR HIM.
I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN, DR. DANIELS. I'LL SEE THAT YOUR PRESCRIPTION IS CARRIED OUT.
LAST ACT; CURTAIN'S READY TO GO UP.
I'M NOT GOING TO BE A COMEDIAN IN THE LAST ACT, JACK.

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AFTER ALL THE PUBLICITY ! YOU CAN'T DO THIS TO US!
YOU KNOW THE COMEDY ROUTINES, JACK. BUT I WON'T LET YOU DOWN. I'LL DO A SONG FOR MY FATHER.
REQUEST ?
IN A WAY.
A REQUEST BY THE GREAT EDDIE WILFRED. WELL, THAT'S DIFFERENT!
THE LAST NUMBER IS DEDICATED TO OUR DISTINGUISHED GUEST, EDDIE WILFRED. HIS SON DON WILL SING IT.
CLAP! CLAP!
CLAP!
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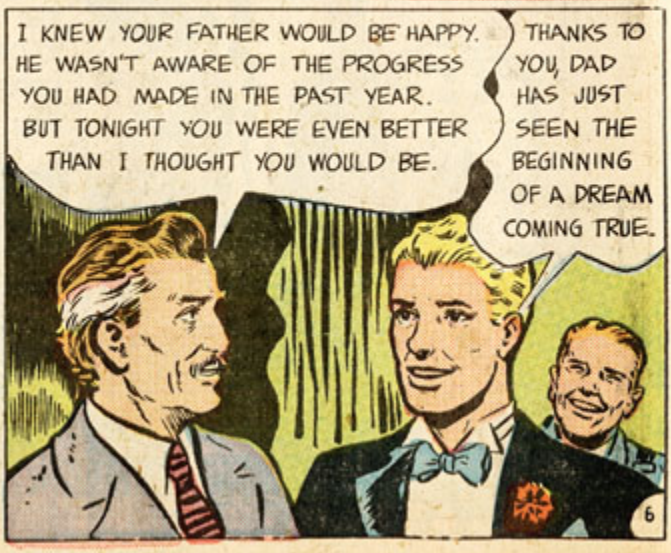
I KNEW YOUR FATHER WOULD BE HAPPY. HE WASN'T AWARE OF THE PROGRESS YOU HAD MADE IN THE PAST YEAR. BUT TONIGHT YOU WERE EVEN BETTER THAN I THOUGHT YOU WOULD BE.
THANKS TO YOU, DAD HAS JUST SEEN THE BEGINNING OF A DREAM COMING TRUE.
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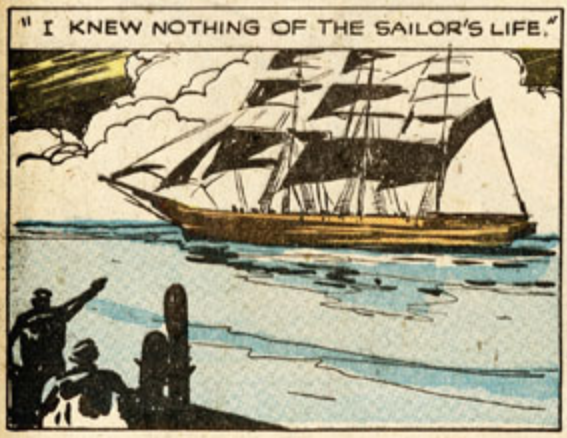
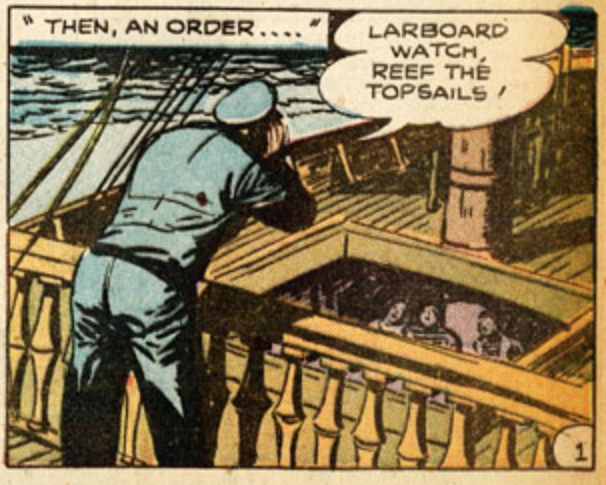
a SAILOR'S LIFE
THIS STORY IS BASED ON THE FAMOUS BOOK OF A FAMOUS VOYAGE, "TWO YEARS BEFORE THE MAST," BY RICHARD HENRY DANA.
"WHILE A STUDENT AT CAMBRIDGE, MY EYES FAILED ME DOCTORS RECOMMENDED A SEA VOYAGE TO STRENGTHEN THEM AND I SHIPPED ABOARD THE BRIG PILGRIM





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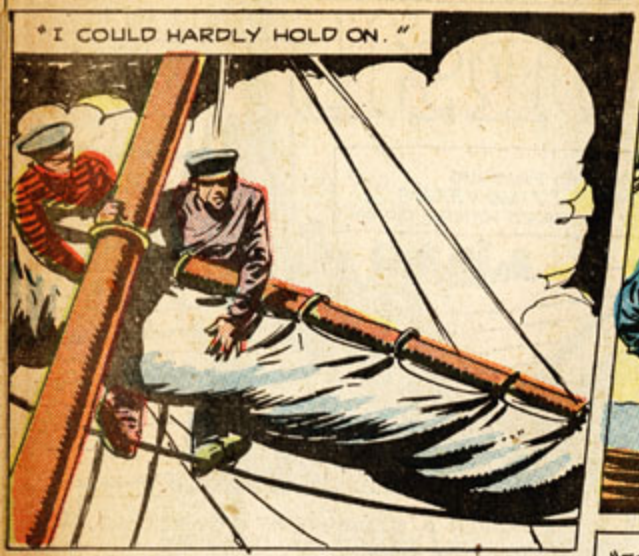
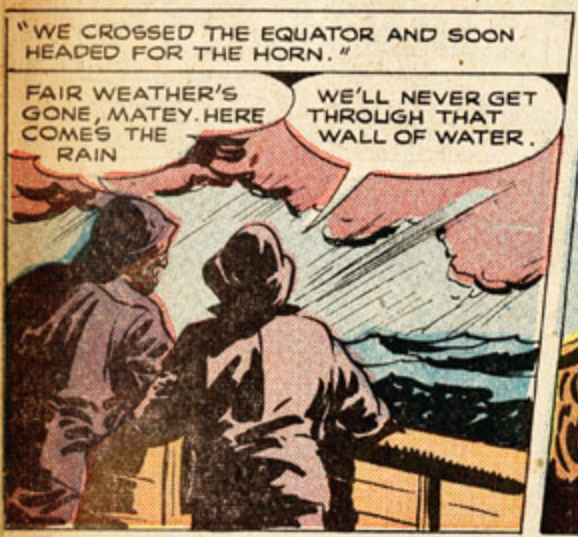
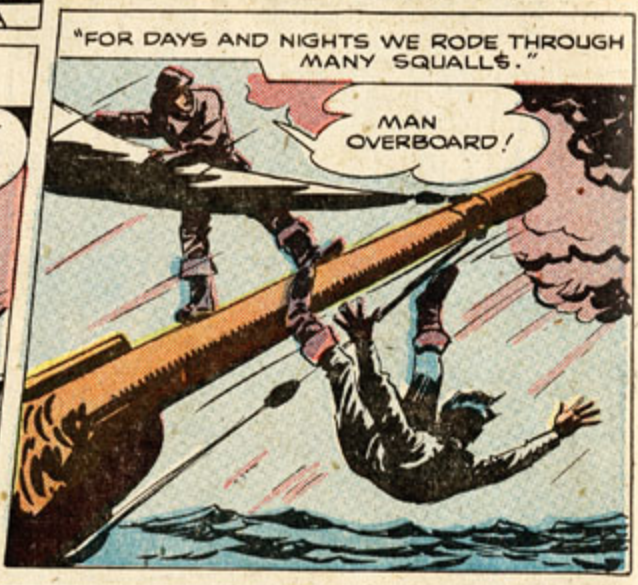



"WE CROSSED THE EQUATOR AND SOON HEADED FOR THE HORN."
FAIR WEATHER'S GONE, MATEY. HERE COMES THE RAIN
WE'LL NEVER GET THROUGH THAT WALL OF WATER.



"WE LOST ONE MAN BUT WEATHERED THE STORMS. SOON WE SIGHTED THE STRAITS OF MAGELLAN."
THAT'S THE SOUTHERN CROSS, LADDIE. WE'LL BE IN THE STRAITS TOMORROW

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"SUDDENLY WE SIGHTED LAND, LOOKING LIKE A DISTANT CLOUD."
IT'S A CLOUD. NO, LAND-HO!
IT'S JUAN FERNANDEZ ISLAND.
"SOME OF US WENT ASHORE FOR WATER AND PROVISIONS."
"WE LEFT JUAN FERNANDEZ, OUR LAST SIGHT OF LAND FOR MANY DAYS."
GO FORWARD AND BUNK WITH THE CREW IN THE FORECASTLE.
THAT WILL BE A WELCOME CHANGE.
"ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DAYS FROM BOSTON, WE SIGHTED THE HARBOR OF SANTA BARBARA."
IT'S THE END OF THE VOYAGE. SOON, WE'LL LEAVE FOR HOME.
I'M TIRED OF THE SEA. THE LAND LOOKS GOOD.
"BAD NEWS AWAITED US."
THE CARGO IS NOT YET READY. IT WILL TAKE A YEAR TO COLLECT IT, SO WE MUST REMAIN HERE.
I'LL BE CHAINED TO A SEAMAN'S LIFE FOREVER.
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THE "PILGRIM" WAS TO REMAIN THERE ANOTHER YEAR. I WAS ANXIOUS TO RETURN TO BOSTON AND RECEIVED PERMISSION TO CHANGE PLACES WITH A SAILOR ABOARD THE "ALERT." ONCE AGAIN, I WAS AFLOAT.

"WE SAILED UP AND DOWN THE COAST GATHERING HIDES FOR CARGO."

LAND HO - THE MISSION OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THEN WE'LL START FOR HOME SOON!

THERE WERE MANY DELAYS AT SAN DIEGO AND MONTEREY. HERE WE RACED INDIAN HORSES FOR AMUSEMENT ALONG THE BEACH."

"ABOARD SHIP AGAIN, WE LEARNED SAD NEWS."

WHEN DO WE SAIL FOR HOME?

WE HAVE BEEN HERE ELEVEN MONTHS. THE CARGO HOLD IS ALMOST FULL.

HOIST SAIL, WELL FULL ALOFT!

WE SAIL FOR SAN PEDRO!

"WE SAILED UP AND DOWN THE COAST AND FINALLY RETURNED TO SAN DIEGO."

OUR LAST STOP.. AND THEN WE SAIL FOR HOME.

ALL ASHORE..BUT LAD, WE'LL BE HERE THREE MONTHS YET!

IT CAN'T BE THAT LONG. WE'LL SAIL FOR BOSTON YET.

"SIX WEEKS WORK LAY AHEAD OF US. WE DREAMED OF HOME EVERY NIGHT."

TOMORROW, WE'LL WORK IN EARNEST. BUT THEN...

THEN, IT'S GOOD-BY TO CALIFORNIA SOON.

TO BE CONTINUED.....

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